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IN RE APPLICATION OF:
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GROUP: 1795
CONFIRMATION NO. 4084
EXAMINER: Marks, J. B.

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FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING ANODE CAN FOR BATTERY AND
MANGANESE DRY BATTERY USING SUCH ANODE CAN FOR BATTERY

RESTRICTION RESPONSE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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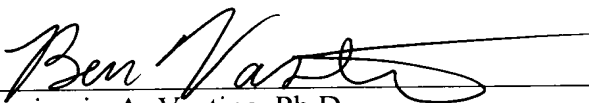
Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 10, 2009, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-3, for examination.

Applicants respectfully submit that the above-identified application is now in condition for examination on the merits, and early notice thereof is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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